HOUSE BILL 2078

By Ferguson

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 68, Chapter 11, relative to certified medication technicians.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 68, Chapter 11, is amended by adding a new section as follows;

Section 68-11-270. The board for licensing health care facilities shall develop by rule and regulation, pursuant to the Uniform Administrative Procedures Act, compiled in title 4, chapter 5, a program for training, certifying and regulating certified medication technicians to administer medications to residents of assisted care living facilities and residential homes for the aged.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2009, the public welfare requiring it.